

Do You Eat?

Of course you do; so does everybody. Did it ever occur to you how much money you can save in a year by buying your supplies at a cash store? You must buy pure groceries, too. If you eat adulterated food you will have to pay doctor's bills in the end. We sell goods for cash; good, pure goods, too. We pay cash for our goods and sell them the same way, so of course we sell cheaper than parties who do business the other way.

We have the neatest, best and most complete stock of Groceries, Provisions and Feed in town.

Bring us your butter and eggs. Come in and see us. We will treat you right.

McCammon & Co.

Sam Parks and family of Joplin passed through Jintown this week on their way west.

Are you intending buying a stove? Before doing so examine prices and stock at Fribley & Ruffner's.

O. J. Ensworth and Tom Murphy of Jintown were in Baxter Springs on business this week.

Ice cream every day at Mrs. Meyerding's.

Tom Carden of Jintown is building a residence on his lots near the sulphur springs.

When you get ready for a Steel Range, come and look at our line; we will make you a good price and you can pay us after you sell your crop.

T. B. McElhiney & Son.

Martin Hibbard and Miss Brafield will be married at Lowell this (Friday) evening.

Bring your tinware to Fribley & Ruffner for repair.

On Thursday of this week Constables Jones and Donaldson arrested four fellows giving their names as Bony Cox, Chas. Brown, Jack Davis and Mike Allman on a warrant charging them with larceny. It is alleged that they stole a lot of turkeys Wednesday night from Joe Ebenstein, living west of this city.

Buyers wanted for choice farms and city property by Col. William March, the real estate agent.

HAY MEN! Go to Fribley & Ruffner for your supplies.

The colored nines of Baxter and Lowell met on the Baxter grounds Thursday and Lowell was beaten, the score being 35 to 14.

Having secured a first class tinner we are now prepared to do all kinds of work in that line.

FRIBLEY & RUFFNER.

Baxter's second nine ran up against the Five Mile base ball club in this city Tuesday and were defeated by a score of 12 to 8.

All kinds of cold drinks at Mrs. Meyerding's.

The president of the Miami Town Company has worn out more checker boards than any man in the Indian territory, and yet he can't beat United States Marshal Locke—that is, in the first 300 or 400 games. After that Mr. Locke gets a little careless and loses a game now and then. Col. John Whiteley wears the belt as the checker player of Miami, and Pete Stover plays a good second, but neither of them is a crank on the game.

Overalls, Shirts and Pants at J. J. Osborn's.

A number of capitalists are now working day and night at Cave Spring. They are taking out many curious and strange things and are camping at the mouth of the cave. We will give our readers the particulars next week.

LIGHT DRAYING DONE DAY OR NIGHT BY MAC GILL.

The contract between the railroad company and the Miami Town Company reads that the town company agrees to secure the right of way for the road through the Indian reservations. Now this is the only thing to prevent the building of the road to Miami in the near future, but that's the question: to get it, or not get it; ah, there's the rub! Injuna are sometimes h—i to trade with.

GLOVES! GLOVES! GLOVES! For Farmers, For Driving, For Hay Men, For Everybody **CHEAP AT OSBORN'S.**

THE BIG REUNION.

THE FOURTEENTH ANNUAL INTER-STATE REUNION WILL BE A HUT-MER.

Committee Hard at Work and Everything Progressing Nicely.

The Fourteenth Annual Inter-State Reunion, which will be held in beautiful Camp Logan at Baxter Springs for one week beginning August 28, will be the greatest event of the kind ever held in the United States. The Baxter Springs reunions have always taken the lead, but this year the many attractions and facilities for entertainment will exceed all former meetings. More noted speakers than ever before will be present and the famous Coyote Glee Club, will entertain the audience night and day. This is one of the most noted glee clubs in the United States and can be heard only at the Baxter Springs reunion. There will be excellent music by other glee clubs and brass bands, and among the many orators who will participate in the exercises, we can count on Gov. E. N. Morrill, Senator Lucien Baker, Hon. David Overmeyer, Hon. Albert H. Horton, Hon. J. V. Beckman, Hon. S. S. Kirkpatrick, Hon. C. G. Burton, Hon. J. R. Burton, Hon. John J. Ingalls, Hon. Webster Davis, Mrs. Mary E. Lease, Hon. Dick Blue, Gen. J. C. Harris and staff, Hon. Bernard Kelly, Hon. F. B. Dawes, Hon. Sidney G. Cooke, and many others who will take part in our Evening Camp Fires.

Up to Thursday Quartermaster McGregor had received 274 applications for tents from Missouri posts and 200 from Kansas posts. There will be a great variety of shows, theatricals, museums and games suitable to the occasion and a steamboat will make hourly trips on Spring river. There will be roll call by states each day and a grand street parade on Wednesday.

More ground has been secured and sixty acres have been set apart for the use of teams. Free wood, straw and tents will be furnished to all old soldiers and their families.

The famous female brass band of Walnut will play during the entire week.

Excursion rates on all railroads and special fares and special trains on the Memphis road. There will be special trains every two hours from Webb City, Cartersville, Joplin, Galena and Columbus to Baxter Springs and return.

Look out for the time card on the Memphis route and get ready to spend a week with the old boys at the Baxter Springs Big Reunion.

BIG LUCK FISHING. On Monday evening of this week D. B. Peake caught sixty-seven fish at the dam. Sixty-three of them were catfish. This is the biggest string caught at the river this season, and now we look for Billy Justice to come along and try to beat it.

A NEW BUILDING. W. H. Hornor and W. S. Norton have commenced the erection of their brick office building on Military street just north of J. B. Opperman's harness store. It will have a frontage of 25 feet with plate glass front and will be pushed to completion as rapidly as possible.

VON WEDELL'S PURCHASE. Walter Von Wedell has purchased the store building occupied by Fugler's dry goods and grocery stock at Lowell.

F. G. Fuok of Galena was in town Wednesday on butcher business.

Marshal Gill had a plain drunk locked up Wednesday night, but it escaped.

Mrs. W. W. Smith is going to Indiana to spend several months with relatives.

Ben Patton has opened a shooting gallery just south of Sour's meat market.

Al. Dively sold 300 head of nice cattle on Tuesday of this week to Mr. Carney of Sedan, Kan.

Divine service Tuesday evening, Aug. 6, 1895, at St. Mark's Episcopal Church by Rev. C. Rowland Hill, Bishop's Chaplain.

G. Wash Peterson has resigned his position with the Joplin Daily News and accepted a similar position on the Galena Post.

A western editor met a well educated farmer recently and informed him that he would like to have something from his pen. The farmer sent him a pig and charged him \$0.75 for it.

Some mouths look like peaches and cream, and some look like a hole chopped into a brick wall to admit a new door or window. The mouth is a hotbed of toothaches, the bungalow of oratory, and a baby's crowning glory. It is patriotism's fountain head and the tool chest for pie. Without it the politician would be a wanderer on the face of the earth, and the cornetist would go down to an unhonored grave. It is the grocer's friend, the orator's pride, and the dentist's hope.—Mouthmouth Springs Monitor.

I. N. LYNCH,

DEALER IN

DRY GOODS,

Groceries,

Hats, Caps and Gloves,

Queensware, Woodenware,

Tinware, Willowware,

FLOUR and FEED.

Highest market prices paid for all kinds of country produce.

CITY COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

July 30, 1895.

Council met in regular session. President Polster presiding and councilmen Bacon, McMickle and Smith present.

Reading of minutes of previous meeting was deferred. F. B. Fuller was given permission to erect a blacksmith shop 18x24 feet on South Military street.

The referred bill of the Fribley Hardware Company was allowed.

The following claims were allowed and ordered paid: Wm. Sharpe, work on street, \$5.00; Chas. Murray, work on street, \$3.00; Joseph Cox, work on street, \$4.00; Lem Wade, work on street, \$18.45; Alex. Bartha, work on street, \$22.50; R. J. Hiner, work on street, \$19.50; Alex. Stevens, work on street, \$5.40; Jas. T. Ryan, clerk's salary, etc., \$8.75; McElhiney & Son, hardware, \$12.30; W. M. Gill, marshal's salary, meals to prisoners, etc., \$29.10; John T. Polster, mdse., \$5.08.

The city clerk was instructed to advertise for sealed bids for the construction of sidewalks on Military street between Neosho and Sheridan streets, said bids to be opened August 9.

Marshal Gill reported that J. F. Mays, owner of horses sold at impounded stock sale several weeks ago, had appeared and proved his property, and on motion the sum of \$31.07, balance left in impounded stock fund after payment of costs, was refunded to Mr. Mays. On motion adjourned.

A BOOTLEGGER SHOT. On Friday of last week a bootlegger named J. T. Dowdall was arrested at Chetopa by Marshal Colter of that city. Dowdall, seeing what he believed to be a favorable opportunity for escaping, took to his heels. The marshal pursued and ordered him to halt, but upon his refusal to do so the marshal shot at him, the ball entering his back. It is thought Dowdall will die.

Dowdall is the fellow who was arrested in this city last winter for violating the prohibitory law and who broke jail.

WOOD, HAY AND STRAW WANTED.

Bids will be received at the office of the reunion quartermaster for the following supplies for the reunion of 1895: 30 tons of good, bright straw, 10 tons of hay, 25 cords of wood, or so much of each as may be necessary. Bidders will furnish sealed bids with approved security. The board of directors reserve the right to reject any or all bids. All bids will be opened on August 20, 1895.

J. J. FRIBLEY, President.

THE FIRST OF AUGUST. The celebration of the emancipation of the slaves which was held in this city Thursday by the colored people was a grand success from every point of view. There were hundreds from other towns in attendance and they enjoyed themselves as only colored people know how to do.

There was the usual speech making during the day and in the evening a grand ball was given.

Read the item headed "Prohibition a Failure" which appears in another column.

Up to this time John Jones has heard nothing from Geo. W. Cox, who broke jail at this place two weeks ago.

Mrs. Mary V. Miller has commenced making repairs on her property on East River street which was torn up by the cyclone.

Chas. Gerber of St. Louis, who has been visiting relatives and friends in this city the past two weeks, will leave for home to-night.

Special Sale

Saturday, the 30, from 11 to 12 o'clock,

50c Ladies' Shirt Waists at 25c

From 3 to 4 o'clock, 300 to 400 yards of 4 1/2c unbleached Muslin at 2 1/2c a yard. Ten yards or less to each customer.

All next week I offer all the Duck Suitings in stock to clean 'em out, at 7 1/2c.

New Canton Flannels received this week. Start the prices at 4 1/2c. Good quality 8 1/2c. Domet Flannel, 5c.

JOHN T. POLSTER.

During the thunder storm Saturday night Phil Penning found two cunning little children crying just outside his fence and went out and took them into his house. They were four and five years old respectively and said their names were Ollie Harvey and Sadie Commons and that they were staying with their auntie, but they were too frightened by the storm and darkness to tell where she lived. They were wringing wet from the heavy rain and the little tots were undressed and put to bed in warm flannels and Mr. Penning came down town at once to notify the police of his find in order that their parents might not be distressed by their loss. They proved to be the children of Mrs. Commons of Baxter Springs who is visiting relatives at 210 Pearl street and she had already notified the police of their disappearance. She and the children had been at Midway park with their relatives and had reached the Herald office on their way home when the first drops of the approaching shower fell. The party concluded to hurry on home and the children ran on ahead and got lost in the darkness. On reaching the house she discovered that they were not there and was terrified over their disappearance. She at once notified the police and was greatly relieved and very grateful to Mr. Penning for his kindness when she found into what good hands they had fallen.—Joplin Herald.

Anna Powell, wife of Tom Powell of Pittsburg, attended the celebration at this place Thursday and became involved in an altercation with Mattie Shumake, whom Anna claims tried to entice Tom away from her. Blows were passed and Anna was arrested. She pleaded guilty to disturbing the peace and paid a fine of \$3 and costs. A warrant was sworn out for Tom but he fled the coop. Tom was arrested later, however, and paid a fine of \$5 and costs.

"Carlos," the doctor who has been advertising so liberally at Ft. Scott, has disappeared with his wife and business manager, and left all the debts he could contract behind him. His deluded patients had advanced him about \$1000 in small sums. He had advertised to remain three months. It is said he has played the same game at other points under the name of Dante. Efforts will be made to bring him back.—Nevada Post.

The News editors are under obligations to McMadden & Price for some fine "Brownos" cigars, made by the Stickney Cigar Company.

John M. Cooper

Sale of Damaged Goods IS NOW GOING ON.

Our store building was unroofed and partly blown down by the late cyclone, and the rain poured into the building. Several thousand dollars' worth of Dry Goods, Clothing, Boots and Shoes got wet, soiled, and apparently damaged, although not materially injured for utility. We have concluded to close them out at once at prices low enough to make them go, without regard to cost or quality and the price is marked on each article or lot in plain figures.

Hundreds of people who saw our store, flooded with water, will testify that there is no humbug about damaged goods. We must and will make LOW PRICES, for we had better nearly give the goods away to move them quickly than to hold the price up to value to try to get out even.

This sacrifice applies to damaged goods. A part of the stock was not injured. J. M. COOPER.

MIKE CLARY'S LUCK.

Northeast of Empire City Mike Clary has a lease on 40 acres of land which is proving to be a veritable bonanza. Paying mineral, both lead and jack, has been found at a depth of from 23 to 35 feet and Mike is in high feather.

The Parsons reunion begins today.

Spring river was on another high this week.

Oswego is kicking on the price of electric lights.

Ed. Zelleken of Joplin was in Baxter Monday on business.

Mr. Hibbard of Lowell thrashed 1,300 bushels of wheat from 75 acres.

Ex-Governor Glick says he has corn that will make 105 bushels per acre.

Mrs. O. A. Moore, of Grenola, Kan., is visiting her son, Dr. L. H. Moore, in this city.

J. W. Morrison, formerly of this city, is running for the office of mayor of McCune.

What's the matter with Charley Daniels' well? He doesn't have much to say about it lately.

Mr. and Mrs. Tranel of St. Louis, have been visiting relatives and friends in Baxter the past week.

The camp meeting being held at Camp Logan draws well and much interest is being manifested. Several people have been converted. The meetings will continue indefinitely.

Dr. G. A. Morrison of Columbus has been appointed physician and surgeon for the state penitentiary at Lansing. The salary is \$1,400 per year and the doctor is allowed outside practice.

L. C. Weldy of the Galena Republican is mining near Empire City. W. L. Patton, foreman of the Republican, is interested in the diggings with Weldy and both imagine they have the world by the tail.

D. C. Finn and C. L. McClung of Columbus have leased 6,000 acres of land near Chelsea, I. T., on which they have a ready developed a 23-inch vein of coal, and farther down a five-foot vein has been discovered. They are putting in a plant of machinery to develop their find.

Bert Landreth, who was nearly captured in Baxter Springs while riding a horse stolen from Chetopa, Kansas, has been hanging around Joplin for three or four days and by a curious coincidence a pair of horses were stolen from East Joplin Wednesday night. Horse thieves are becoming bolder and bolder and not a day passes but what the papers chronicle the loss of valuable animals. It will get so after a while that if a man wants to keep a valuable animal for his own use he will either have to stand guard over him day and night with a club or else keep him in a safety deposit vault with a combination lock. —Joplin Herald.

A NOVEL SCHEME.

A new way of collecting old debts is being introduced in Maine towns. The introduction of the scheme is a novelty, too. A young woman of alleged great attractiveness is the advance agent, and between her own attractions and those of her scheme is said to be having complete success. She calls on the local merchants and secures their membership in the new agency. A few days after her departure there appears a number of men dressed in bright green coats who get the particulars of old debts and debtors from the members and then proceed to call on the victims. The contract provides that the horribly conspicuous collectors shall make fifteen calls a day on each debtor, meeting him anywhere and everywhere. The scheme is reported to be a big success, as most debtors are glad to make a prompt settlement rather than have the whole neighborhood see them haunted by the green-coated specters.—New York Sun.

Protect the Game and Fish.

Shoot or fish only in the proper season and escape the game warden by observing the laws. Many states have new game and fish laws this year, and if you don't know them send five 2-cent stamps for a copy of the Game Law issue of the American Field, 245 State street, Chicago, Ill.

FOR SALE.

A first class sewing machine, "Climax." This machine is one of the very best made and has never been used. It is highly finished, has seven drawers and is a dandy. Sample can be seen by applying at this office.

The merchant's store is jammed all day. His competitors look solemn; The ad that brought all this about Took only half a column In the News.

New Grocery Store.

Lou H. McMickle has opened a new Grocery Store in the Investment Co. building north of Polster's corner. Your patronage solicited.

RESTAURANT and Steam Bakery!

Steam Baked Bread, ROLLER PROCESS, Wholesale and Retail. ICE CREAM, wholesale and retail. CAKES MADE TO ORDER. Tobacco, Cigars and Cold Drinks. MRS. T. MEYERDING.